

Complete. Use *can*, *can't*, *could* or *couldn't*.

1. When I was really young, I  |  swim. I didn't want to go in the water.

2. My sister wants to teach me how to swim. She  swim really well.

3. My sister  dive when she was only five years old! She was really good!

4. I  dive, but I want to learn.

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Choose.

#### The Olympic dream!

Eric Moussambani was a star at the Olympics in Sydney in 2000. The swimmer from Equatorial Guinea didn't win a medal, but the crowd loved him.

Eric only started swimming in January, 2000. He was 21 years old. He practised in a small swimming pool in a hotel. When he saw the Olympic pool in Sydney, he was surprised. It was huge! It was 50 metres long. He couldn't see the other end of it! The pool at home was only 12 metres long.

1. Eric Moussambani is from Sydney, Australia.

True

False

2. He won a medal at the Olympics in Sydney.

True

False

3. At home, Eric practised in a hotel swimming pool.

True

False

4. The pool at the Olympics was much bigger than his pool at home.

True

False

In Eric's race, there were two other swimmers. But they both jumped in the pool too early and the referee stopped the race. When the race started again, Eric was the only swimmer and he was nervous. Everyone watched him. He started to swim very quickly, but soon he felt very tired. The crowd cheered "Eric! Eric!" This helped him to finish. After the race, Eric was a hero. His time was very slow, but it didn't matter. People thought he was very brave.

In 2016, Eric went to the Olympics in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil. He didn't swim for Equatorial Guinea. He was the team's coach!

**1.** There were two other swimmers at the beginning of the race.

True

False

**2.** Eric had to swim the race alone.

True

False

**3.** Eric finished the race very quickly.

True

False

**4.** Eric was the coach of the Equatorial Guinea swimming team at the Olympics in Rio.

True

False

I can't snowboard. Will you teach \_\_\_\_?

Jose and Marco are going swimming, and I'm going to go with \_\_\_\_.

My favourite snowboarder is Chloe Kim. She's great. I want to be like \_\_\_\_ one day.

We're going swimming. Do you want to come with \_\_\_\_?

1. Are you going to the gym? I need a lift. Can I go with \_\_\_\_?

2. Cycling is my favourite sport. I love \_\_\_\_.

3. Usain Bolt is so fast. I think he's amazing. Did you watch \_\_\_\_ run?

4. Volleyball looks like fun. I like watching \_\_\_\_ , but I don't know how to play.

Write the name of the country under the correct person:

Brazil

the USA

Hong Kong

Bruce Lee

Pelé

Wilma  
Rudolph

Write the sport under the correct person:

athletics

football

martial arts

Bruce Lee

Pelé

Wilma  
Rudolph

Write the word under the correct person:

Hollywood  
movies

Olympic  
medals

3 World Cups

Bruce Lee

Pelé

Wilma  
Rudolph

1. Bruce Lee was born in

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2. According to the video, he taught

martial arts to

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